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TORONTO GLOBE AND MAIL OF SEPTEMBER 5 FRONT-PAGED PROPOSED
CHANGES IN CANADIAN OIL POLICY AND RAN FOLLOWING PARAGRAPH ON
MINISTER MACDONALD'S COMMENTS ON WASHINGTON'S REACTION: QUOTE
ASKED WHAT HE THOUGHT WASHINGTON'S REACTION WOULD BE TO THE
NEW POLICY, MR. MACDONALD SAID OUTSIDE THE HOUSE THAT THE
WHITE HOUSE AND STATE DEPARTMENT, IN TALKS SOME TIME AGO, WERE
URGING CANADA TO EXTEND THE LINE INTO MONTREAL FOR CONTINENTAL
SECURITY REASONS SO HE DID NOT SEE HOW THEY COULD OBJECT NOW.
HOWEVER, ASKED IF THE WHITE HOUSE TOOK THE SAME POSITION
RECENTLY AS IT DID IN THE TALKS EARLY LAST YEAR, MR. MACDONALD
SAID HE HADN'T BEEN TALKING RECENTLY TO THE WHITE HOUSE.
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